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BISHOP CHECKS OUT NEW FEATURES AT SMITHTOWN LIBRARY

NESCONSET, NY – In a short visit to Smithtown Library's Nesconset Branch on Thursday afternoon, Congressman Tim Bishop checked out the new information technology and internet services available at the library, which were funded by a \$50,000 grant secured by Bishop in 2004. "I'm proud of the advancements that the Smithtown Library staff is making to offer these state-of-the-art services to the residents of the Town of Smithtown," Bishop stated. "Once libraries were mainly books, magazines, and microfiche, now the people of Smithtown have instant access to the world at their fingertips."

Among the services added as a result of the Congressman's funding are eight new computers and a refurbished community room at the Nesconset Branch, upgraded computer servers, and handicapped accessible computers. Residents may check out the library's services at one of its branches or online at www.smithlib.org.

Left to Right: Anthony J. Monteleone, President, The Smithtown Library Board of Trustees; Peter Ward, Library Director; Robert Goykin, Assistant Library Director; Congressman Bishop; Ronald P. Budzynski, Nesconset resident; and Joan Guevarra, Nesconset resident.

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